



AIDE-de-FARMERS

About half the farmers who have answered the questionnaire issued recently on their needs for help have cautiously refrained from specifying whether or not they are prepared to use women or girls if men are not available. Of the balance the answers are fairly evenly divided between emphatic "ayes" and "nays." No official uniform has been announced for women farm workers by the Dominion-Provincial Farm Labor Emergency Service but the above picture is released by the National Film Board as, "Miss Canada, who will be gardening this summer if she takes the government's advice." Perhaps more of the questionnaires will be marked "yes" now.

Farmers Fail To Fill Out Help Forms

LOCAL COMMITTEE IS UNABLE TO ESTIMATE TOTAL REQUIREMENTS

With only about 40 of the 350 questionnaires mailed to Matsqui and Sumas farmers on April 16 returned to the M-S-A War Agricultural Production Committee to date, some question is being raised as to whether or not the farmers are as badly in need of farm help as has been suggested. Only half a dozen of the farmers returning their forms have asked for immediate help, principally on dairy farms.

The questionnaires returned indicate the greatest need will be, as originally anticipated, during the harvest season of various crops. However, there has not been a large enough proportion returned of the total number of forms issued for the local committee to be able to make an estimate of farm help requirements in the Area. It is very likely that some farmers received questionnaires who will not need help but if they will return the form stating this fact the committee will not be left in the dark.

Some farmers may not have received questionnaires and may expect to need help between now and November. They can obtain forms at The News office or at either Brackman & Ker or Buckfield's warehouses in Abbotsford. It is essential that the lo-

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B.C. GOVERNMENT BUYS \$6,000,000 VICTORY BONDS

Once again increasing its subscription, the Government of British Columbia has subscribed \$6,000,000 in Canada's Fourth Victory Loan.

The \$6,000,000 which the province has subscribed represents a substantial increase over its previous subscription. On each of the last two occasions, the government invested \$5,000,000, so that with the latest subscription the government will hold \$16,000,000 in Victory Bonds in its various funds.

"This is our answer to the appeal made by Hon. J. L. Hiesey to dig deeper," Premier John Hart asserted in announcing the subscription. "British Columbia is justifiably proud of the part she plays in the nation's war program."

"We have been warned that the signal may be given to our men and women in the services almost any time now."

"Let us, then, be prepared to back them up with all we have. Let us increase our subscriptions to the Victory Loan so that the objective will not only be reached, but surpassed."

Bracken "Man Of Soil", Is Visitor Here

Particular interest in the farming activities of the M-S-A Area was shown by John Bracken, leader of the Progressive-Conservative Party of Canada, when he paid a brief visit here during his short tour of British Columbia. Mr. Bracken spoke briefly at a reception held in his honor in Trinity United church, Abbotsford, on Good Friday afternoon. The reception was tendered by the local Conservative Association and a representative attendance of citizens was present as well as a group of Chilliwack men who came down to escort Mr. Bracken to Chilliwack where he was guest of honor at a dinner and reception in the evening.

Harry Taylor of Mt. Lehman presided at the function in Abbotsford. Howard Green, MP, of Vancouver, introduced Mr. Bracken and Flt. Lt. L. H. Eyres, MLA, and Reeve W. A. Jones of Kent, Agassiz, president of the Fraser Valley Conservative Association, also spoke briefly.

A Triple Challenge
Winning the war, accomplishing an enduring peace and building a better world represented a triple challenge in this most critical as well as most interesting period in history, Mr. Bracken told the audience.

We can do a lot about it or decline to help, the Progressive-Conservative leader declared, but he expressed confidence that every right-thinking Canadian wants to do his share. As the foundation of a better postwar world he visualized for every child born assurance of a job when he grew up, a fair share of wealth for agriculture and encouragement for every business providing employment.

Mr. Bracken was welcomed on behalf of Abbotsford by Comm. M. M. Shore.

A Man of the Soil
Mr. Bracken was dean of the faculty of agriculture in the University of Manitoba when he was

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VICTORY LOAN SUNDAY Rededication Service

IN THE

High School Auditorium ABBOTSFORD

Sunday, May 2, 2:30 p.m.

Chairman: Rev. G. R. Tench, Trinity United Church

Opening: "O Canada"

Prayer: Rev. C. W. Bryce, St. Matthew's Anglican Church

Crusaders Chorus Choir: "Onward Christian Soldiers"

Scripture Reading: Rev. J. Peel, Pentecostal Tabernacle

Scripture Reading: Rev. A. J. Loughton, Church of the Nazarene

Offering

(To be used for the Armed Forces Social Centre)

ADDRESS: DR. JAMES G. BROWN

Principal, Union Theological College, Vancouver

Crusaders Chorus Choir: "Rise Up, O Men of God"

National Anthem

TO USE ORANGE HALL AS SOCIAL CENTRE'S "HUT" FOR SERVICES

Committee Observes Chilliwack Methods

Offer of the Loyal Orange Lodge to use the lower hall of their building on Pauline street, adjacent to the Jubilee grounds in Abbotsford was accepted at a meeting last night of the executive of the Social Centre Committee. The hall has kitchen and other facilities necessary to a Servicemen's "Hut." On Monday night another visit was paid by members of the committee to Chilliwack where the Chilliwack Hut was observed in operation. Those making the visit were Rev. A. J. Loughton, chairman; Rev. C. W. Bryce, secretary; Mrs. R. Gilmore, treasurer; Mrs. H. E. Cannon and Mrs. R. Mackenzie.

NUMEROUS REALTY TRANSACTIONS IN ABERDEEN DISTRICT

Farms, Acreage And Garage Sold

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. E. McKinnon have sold their place on the highway and Lefevre road to Mr. and Mrs. Zecariah.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson have purchased the property of H. Rohne on the highway. Mr. and Mrs. Rohne are moving to Aldergrove.

Two more pieces of property on the Station road have changed hands recently: Mr. and Mrs. Kramer of Saskatchewan have purchased from Mr. and Mrs. R. Thomas who have moved to Vancouver, and R. Hanson from Alberta has bought the Hardy place.

Mr. and Mrs. Walters from Saskatchewan have purchased the

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SPRING GALE DAMAGE HEAVY IN ALL AREA; SEVERAL SILOS RUINED

Garage, Tr-es, Chimney Suffer in Windstorm

A violent windstorm early on Good Friday morning caused considerable damage on the Lower Mainland with silos in Sumas and Matsqui being the chief victims in this Area. Upper portion of a big window in the home of Mrs. Combs, McCallum road, Abbotsford, was blown in and the chimney on the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Armstrong, nearby, was damaged. A partially completed garage at the corner of Railway and Hazel streets in Abbotsford was pushed over but not badly damaged, and a cherry tree split on the Henderson property, No. 1 Highway, west of Abbotsford.

Silo of L. Patterson, Glen Valley, was blown over and silos of Lester McGarva, Brogaard and Emmens farms on Sumas Prairie were reported wrecked. Several silos were damaged on Matsqui Prairie and at least one, that of Irvine Israel, in the Mt. Lehman district. Power and telephone service was not seriously interrupted, officials state, although a number of trees were blown across power and phone lines. A large tree crashed alongside Abbotsford Motors in Abbotsford but missed nearby buildings.

AUCTION PRICES REMAIN STEADY

Auction prices remained about the same level as last week at the Dennis auction market Saturday. Fresh cows sold for \$75 to \$150; beef cows, \$57 to \$77; young stock, \$27 to \$76; bulls, \$73 to \$104; and calves, 25c to \$14. Sows ranged in price from \$25 to \$32; feeders, \$10 to \$12; weaners from \$5.50 to \$8.50. The poultry prices were 65c to \$1.55.

278,406 POUNDS CANNING SUGAR SOUGHT BY AREA

Applications for canning sugar received by the M-S-A Local Ration Board total 7097 and the amount of sugar requested aggregates 278,406 lbs., according to a tabulation made by George F. Pratt, secretary. There was a total of 7370 ration books issued when M-S-A citizens applied for their No. 2 books in February but this total is now reported to have increased to a figure much nearer the 8000 mark as delinquents make the necessary affidavits to secure belated replacement of their original issue. The Local Ration Board, a voluntary group of men and women representative of Matsqui, Sumas and Abbotsford, is meeting tonight in the Abbotsford municipal office.

Matsqui and Sumas Seek More Revenue

EXTRA NEEDED FOR SCHOOLS; ABBOTSFORD RATE IS UNCHANGED

Tax rate in Sumas is up three mills this year, the extra levy being required for school purposes. Matsqui has also altered its rate structure to secure additional funds for the same purpose. Abbotsford Village hopes to get by on the same basis as last year. Municipalities are required to set their tax rate this month. The rate in Sumas this year will be 15 mills for general purposes and the same for school levy, the charge being on the assessed value of land and on 50 per cent of the value of improvements.

In Abbotsford the rate will again be 12 mills, made up of nine mills for general purposes, two for street lighting and one mill for hospital and social service charges.

The net rate in Matsqui this year will be 30 mills for general purposes and 20 mills for school purposes on wild land, 14 mills for general and 18 for schools on improved land and 14 and 18 mills respectively, on 28 per cent of improvements. This compares with 17 mills on improved land and on 22 per cent of improvements last year. It is estimated that the large acreage of former municipal-held land now on the tax rolls as well as the increase in the taxable percentage of improvements will offset the reduction in the mill rates for general purposes.

In both Sumas and Matsqui there is a minimum tax for school purposes of \$10.

INSTALL MATSQUI SIREN

Chief Warden Percy Jones announces that the first of two ARP sirens promised this Area last year was installed yesterday on the roof of Matsqui Superior school.

Opening Sales Of "V" Bonds Total \$23,600

AREA SECURES 13% OF QUOTA IN FOURTH LOAN IN FIRST TWO DAYS

M-S-A Area was trailing Mission-Dewdney Area but ahead of Maple Ridge-Pitt Meadows in the figures issued at 3 p.m. today by Unit Headquarters for the 4th Victory Loan Drive. Salesmen reported applications totalling \$69,800 in the first two days, Monday and Tuesday. Mission district led with \$28,400. M-S-A Area reported \$23,600 and Haney district \$17,800. Investment in the first two days by M-S-A citizens equals about 13 per cent of the Area quota of \$183,500. Larger amounts reported locally include \$1000 cash purchase by M-S-A General Hospital building fund and \$1000 by Sumas Co-operative No. 2 (Cold Storage Lockers, Abbotsford). In addition the Hospital has subscribed on the time payment plan in order to further increase its building fund this year.

Dr. James G. Brown, principal of Union Theological College, Vancouver, will give the address at the Rededication Service to be held for citizens of the M-S-A Area in the high school auditorium, Abbotsford, on Victory Loan Sunday, May 2, at 2:30 p.m. Dr. Brown gave an impressive address at a service held in connection with the Third Victory Loan held last October. Complete program for the service is given on this page.

Several military units will participate in the service and parade to the Memorial Auditorium and will be headed by a brass band from the military training centre near Chilliwack. The band will be accompanied by a unit from the Camp.

Members of the 4th Reconnaissance Squadron Westminster Rgt. (R) will parade under Lieut. G. E. W. Clarke and several detachments of No. 88 Company, Pacific Coast Militia Rangers will participate under Capt. T. V. Thompson and their detachment leaders. School cadets and members of the local Red Cross will also participate.

Free Picture Show

Three feature moving pictures will be shown in the Abbotsford Theatre this Thursday evening at 8 o'clock when the National War Finance Committee presents the much publicized film, "One Day of War" as well as "Pincers on Japan" and "All These Things." The show is free to the public but it is requested that children under 12 years of age be accompanied by adults.

Excellent Response

There is every evidence as the Loan Appeal enters its third day, that the average citizen and family is fully alive to its responsibility to support the Armed Forces in this "Attack Year."

The Victory Loan salesmen report sales to citizens who have

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INSTITUTE MEMBERS HEAR RECITAL BY MUSIC STUDENTS

Donate to Service Hut; Collection for the 'Boys'

The Huntingdon Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Christie Harris on Wednesday with Mrs. G. Greene as co-hostess. Mrs. N. Townsley, a member of the Social Centre Committee, gave a report of the committee, and the Institute voted to give \$12 as a yearly donation. Mrs. George Runzer offered her services as pianist for the Hut.

The president, Mrs. H. E. Beeststone, reported that \$186.36 had been raised in the Red Cross drive. The members decided to purchase skipping ropes for the school children and to make two quilts, one for Mrs. E. Harper and one for the Red Cross. A musical recital by the pupils of Mrs. Runzer's class was a special event of the afternoon. Mrs. Runzer presented each Institute member with a hand-painted program made by Miss Jean Thomson. Mrs. Harris was master of ceremonies.

Collection for the afternoon is to be used for comforts for Huntingdon boys in the Armed Forces. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Westminster Regiment Overseas Expresses Appreciation Of Victory Loan Support at Home

A letter from Brigadier J. E. Sager, former commanding officer Westminster Regiment (1st Bn) overseas, received on the eve of the launching of Canada's Fourth Victory Loan, expressed his appreciation for the commando dagger sent to him by Reeve W. J. Park of Pitt Meadows, chairman of Unit 19, National War Finance Committee, of which the M-S-A Area forms a large part, as a symbol of the unit's over-the-top subscription to the last loan. Brig. Sager, since promoted from the rank of lieutenant-colonel, writes as follows:

February 6, 1943

The Commando Dagger with your messages of good cheer arrived a few days ago. We were very pleased to hear that the citizens of Matsqui, Sumas, Abbotsford, Mission, Dewdney, Nicomen, Maple Ridge and Pitt Meadows had oversubscribed their quota by one-third.

All of us appreciate the great amount of work required to accomplish such a job.

On behalf of all I thank the citizens who comprised Unit 19 for their great work and continued support and wish all the compliments of the season for 1943.

Yours sincerely,

J. E. Sager, Lieut.-Col.
The Westminster Regiment





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Wartime Conditions Curtail Service

No less important mercantile establishments than the two largest departmental stores in Vancouver have found it necessary to emulate a decision made recently by Abbotsford merchants—to close all day Wednesdays while present conditions continue.

The Vancouver departmental stores have already put their decision into practice and may soon be followed by various groups of the retail trade in Canada's third largest city. Abbotsford merchants have given a month's notice of their intention and detailed the considerations which make it necessary in a signed announcement which appears on page seven of this newspaper.

The local stores will be closed all day Wednesday for the first time on May 5, next week, and thereafter all day Wednesday until further notice.

There is little doubt, from the comment already heard from the public, that the average citizen appreciates the necessity of this action, anticipates, in fact, the possibility of even more drastic curtailment of many accustomed services as the war continues.

Accepting the necessity of the curtailment, the business men are to be commended on selecting a midweek day for it. While Wednesday is very likely not the most acceptable day to the merchants, being the legal half-holiday for store clerks it is the day least counted upon for shopping by the average housewife and customer, therefore, closing the full day will cause the least inconvenience to the public.

Canada's Fighting Men Need Help

By H. G. L. Strange

Our fighting lads on the battle lines, in the air, on the sea, and on the land, badly need help. They have all the courage and heroism that is required. They need, however, more and more munitions, equipment, supplies and foodstuffs.

Canada and the other democracies entered this war almost completely unprepared, whereas Germany and Japan had strenuously prepared for years. We have, therefore, much to do yet to catch up to our enemies. Our farms and factories, however, are now turning out ever-increasing quantities of foodstuffs and munitions, but these quantities are governed entirely by the amount of money the government has with which to pay farmers for their produce, and to pay wages to industrial workers. Some of the money is supplied by taxes, but considerable sums must be raised by loans from the people through their purchase of Victory Bonds.

Our gallant lads are *risking* and *giving* their lives for our protection, for our freedom. They ask us only to *lend* our money. How can we do less! Every Victory Bond purchased will supply more and better equipment to protect our fighting men. A Victory Bond can easily save a life.

When we buy a Victory Bond we help our fighting men, and strike a blow for the High Cause of Freedom.

the off beat... Bill Hambly

One Matsqui ratepayer, well up on road work, threw his hat in the ring in the attack on the condition of some of Matsqui's roads. He says we are right; but the situation exists in all parts of the ward he resides in—not just the Ware road that was attacked last week. In fact, he wants to know if anybody in that ward has seen the scarifier or grader at work ANYWHERE. The closest to a going-over any of the roads have had recently, he rejoined, was the going-over in this column last week. Matsqui is not the segment of the M-S-A with poor road conditions either. And with tires so precious and gas so scarce, it is the opinion of many that a big help to this end would be to upkeep roads as is allowed under existing conditions. Maybe materials for repair are among the hard-to-gets, but there is nothing keeping the graders off the roads.

Ode to crutches—after three days of fighting with them: Crutches are a tool for digging holes in the pit of the arm. They also make a handy skinning knife—particularly for sides. If not properly used they are also good for skating on cement walks.

Gunner Dick Young, stationed at a west coast defence post, brought the story with him to Abbotsford at the weekend of the CWAC who thinks a jeep is a female Jap.

Lieut. Ernie Clarke, "seeh" of the Recce, Reserve Squadron here had the boys out on tactical manoeuvres Monday night. One of the men, supposedly an enemy, was being stalked by member of the squadron. The stalker stalked as well as a setter until he was within a few feet of his quarry. He stopped, without seeing the man, and waited several minutes. Thinking he had been spotted, the "enemy" piped up out of the quiet: "For ———, shoot and get it over with."

Down Through the Yearsfrom the files

April 25, 1928

Mr. and Mrs. John Scott and family of 10 children arrived at Peardonville last week from West Lothian, Scotland.

Buckerfield's Ltd. is improving the vacant ground fronting their warehouse here by planting shrubs. F. Fatkin is doing the work.

Over \$91,000 was collected in customs and excise dues by the Port of Abbotsford staffs during the fiscal year just closed. A total of 6252 import railroad cars were examined and 4921 export cars.

V. D. Sibley has returned to Abbotsford from Penticton and expects to establish a blacksmith shop at Huntingdon.

An up-to-date cooler and enlargement of warehouse are among improvements recently made by H. C. Breier at Bradner.

Excavation work for the site of the enlargement of Pacific Milk Plant at DeLair has been started.

It is estimated that at least 25 percent more land will be under

cultivation in Sumas district this year.

April 26, 1933

Sumas Prairie farmers have contracted 800 acres for sugar beets.

Bradner district held its fifth annual bulb show on Thursday.

Abbotsford Men's Club held its final meeting of the season on Tuesday. They reported that \$50 had been donated towards relief work in the district.

May Queen-elect Julia Zalesky's attendant will be Charlotte Scott; page, Gerald Buckley; maids of honor, Donna Weir, JoAnn Clement, Joyce Marshall and Joanne Fraser.

Abbotsford soccer team lost to Coquitlam in the second tilt for the Coquitlam cup.

The Red & White softball team "shut out" the Atangard squad, the score being 3-0. The big hit of the game was a three-bagger by Frank Fossett.

Fire of unknown origin broke out in the storage room at the rear of the Weir drug store.

Matsqui Hall Shows Larger Cash Surplus

PLAN PURCHASE OF VICTORY BONDS TO INCREASE RESERVE

Despite wartime conditions resulting in fewer dances and social events being held in the popular hall, Matsqui Community Hall Association ended its fiscal year on April 1 in a highly satisfactory financial position. Other than members of the board, there were few persons at the annual meeting to hear the statement of the year's operations but it revealed assets in excess of \$7000, a cash balance of \$488 and no liabilities.

Receipts \$2078

Total receipts were \$2078 including \$322 which was the cash surplus carried over from the previous year. Revenue from dances, four or five fewer last year, amounted to \$1178; ordinary rentals of the hall, \$177; rental from the Department of Education \$275; from Matsqui Athletic Association \$75 and from the P.C.M. Rangers, \$39.

Major disbursements were: Janitor, kitchen, cook and waiter service, \$367; music, \$254; groceries and dining room supplies, \$188; stewards and directors' attendance at dances, \$86; printing, posters and advertising, \$78; fuel \$70; lights, \$65; directors' fees, \$64; secretary's salary, \$60; bread

CHURCH SERVICES IN M-S-A AREA

(Items under this heading contributed by Church officers. Must be received by 5 p.m. Monday.)

Church of the Nazarene

Sunday services will be held at 11 a.m. Morning Worship and 7:30 p.m. Evangelistic meeting. The midweek service Wednesday evening will now be held at 8 instead of 7:30 p.m. Sunday Bible class convenes at 10 a.m. Owing to the United Victory Loan ser-

slicer, \$50; hardware, etc., \$42; taxes, \$40.

Buy Another Bond

Under assets the big hall and annex are valued at \$7000, additional real estate at \$100 and last year the association started a reserve fund by investing in a \$100 Victory Bond. It is proposed to increase this fund with a further investment in the Fourth Victory Loan now in progress.

Three retiring directors, John Lundstrom, Chas. Siebold and Wm. H. Kunzmann, were re-elected for two-year terms and Joseph Bird was elected for two years succeeding the late I. Hodgins on the board. The three other members of the board, whose terms end next year, are Walter H. Adams, A. J. Rottluff and Alec. N. Beaton. Mr. Adams was named president, Mr. Rottluff vice-president and Wm. H. Kunzmann, secretary-treasurer.

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vice in the auditorium, the Sunday school and service at Stratton will not be held next Sunday. It will convene the following Sunday at usual hours.

Trinity United Church

Services, Sunday, May 2, 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. regular services, "Victory Loan Dedication." Thursday, April 29 at 8, Crusaders Chorus practice in the church under direction of Mrs. L. F. Lobban, with Mrs. McKenzie accompanying. Singers from all churches and others are urged to gather for

this practice for the rededication service in the auditorium.

North Poplar United

2 p.m. Sunday school. Regular service is cancelled that all may attend the Victory Loan rally in the auditorium, Abbotsford.

Pine Grove Gospel

Sunday school at 10:30 a.m. Regular services at 8 p.m. Sunday and Thursday evenings. Rev. Harold Paul and Mrs. Paul of Vancouver will take charge of the Thursday service.



A profession of faith

We have faith in Canada
We have faith in her past * faith
that the courage of the pioneers and the
spirit which achieved Confederation and
linked a continent with the shining steel
of railways have laid strong founda-
tions for national greatness and unity.
We have faith in her present * in
the part she is playing to save the
world from tyranny...in her young men
and women who serve on land and sea
and in the air...in her workers who la-
bour for more than wages...in every man
and woman and child striving for Victory.
We have faith in her future * believ-
ing that she is destined to exert an
ever-increasing influence in world af-
fairs, and in the shaping of tomorrow,
when many will turn to her with new hope.

We have faith in more than the sta-
tistics of Canada's bank clearings
and her car-loadings, the vastness of

her untapped resources, or even the
glorious war record of a people num-
bering less than twelve millions.

We have faith in a land we

love, whose soul speaks to us from

every free acre of Canadian soil...

in the splendour of the Rockies at sun-

set, the blue mystery of a Laurentian dawn,

the quiet of an Ontario woodlot, the far

call of prairie horizons, the sound of

surf on the Atlantic shore and the wash

of the Pacific tides. It speaks to us from

churchyards where Canadian dead lie

beneath the tribute of English blossoms

...from the poppies of France and

Flanders...from the winged and sea-

faring and mechanized epics of a new war.

We have faith in her people...

people, noted and obscure, with whom

we daily rub shoulders...and by whose

united effort, sacrifice and creative vigour

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News of the Farms



"CONCHIES" MAY WORK THIS YEAR ON B.C. FARMS

Also Available to Some Industries

Conscientious objectors in 19 alternative service camps in British Columbia will have the option of working on farms and in essential industries or of remaining in camps under plans announced by Labor Minister Humphrey Mitchell at Ottawa.

Under an order-in-council passed April 7, farmers will pay for the labor of conscientious objectors at the rate of \$35 to \$40 a month and industries will pay the current wage rates.

The objectors themselves will receive \$25 a month, with board and lodgings. The surplus of their earnings will be paid to the Canadian Red Cross.

1273 in Camps

On February 3 there were 1273 objectors working in alternative

DONATE STEER

T. Swanton and his sisters, the Misses G. and E. G. Swanton, who live on a farm at Raleigh and who keep the Kamloops Superfluity Shop supplied with the choicest fresh vegetables and plants in season have donated a steer to the Red Cross. The animal brought \$86 at an auction.

Canadian flour mills manufactured 11,408,011 barrels of flour in the six months ended January 31, 1943, an increase of more than one and a half million barrels on the output in the corresponding six months ended January, 1942.

service camps; the other 2128 registered objectors to military service had not been called out for alternative service because of lack of facilities to place the men at necessary work, Mr. Mitchell said.

Under existing regulations the "conchies" are paid 50 cents per day and board.

59-FOOT ENGLISH GRAPEVINE GROWING IN BRADNER HOTHOUSE

First Commercial Grower of Bulbs on B.C. Mainland

Fenwick Fatkin, who planted the first commercial bulbs of any kind on the B.C. mainland, has five solid acres of bloom at Bradner, now famous Canadian bulb-growing district of western Matsqui. This is admittedly more varieties than anyone else on the continent. He also grows more dahlias than anyone else in Canada.

In one of his six hothouses, covering 5764 square feet, there is an English grapevine, the Black Hamburg, which is 59 feet in length, perhaps a record for a single plant.

There are dozens of growers at Bradner with one or two acres in bloom, but even Mr. Fatkin's record as the biggest grower there will be exceeded as soon as W. van der Zalm, an experienced bulb grower of Holland, has completed his planting of 16 acres at Bradner.

FARM BRIEFS

Emphasis is being placed on the consumption of potatoes instead of bread in Britain as a means of conserving shipping space that would be required for the movement of wheat from Canada and the United States.

The old Garnet Chili variety potatoes is still successfully produced as certified seed in Nova Scotia for shipment to Bermuda. There it is grown for the early winter market trade in New York. This variety originated at Utica, N.Y., in 1853.

There are several systems in use of artificial brooding of chicks—the battery, the hot water pipe, and electric, gas, oil, coal and wood burning heaters. For general farm conditions, the brooder stove placed in a colony house has up to the present proved the most satisfactory.

TIMELY TIPS

by a Bradner Gardener

Garlic: Stir soil between plants.
Leeks: Sow maincrop now.
Lettuce: Sow successions of Cos and Head.
Marjorum (Herb): Sow now.
Onions: Get in maincrop as soon as possible.
Parsley: Sow now.
Turnips: Sow maincrop now for table use.
Parsnips: Should be sown at once.
Peas: Continue to sow in succession. Plant spinach between rows, it will grow faster.
Potatoes: Draw earth to early ones as they appear above the ground. Get ground prepared to plant maincrop at once.
Radishes: Sow for succession as needed.
Sage: Plant cuttings now.
Savoy Cabbage: Sow seed now.
Shallots: Hoe and loosen the ground about the plants.
Spinach: Sow successions now.
Thyme: Sow seed now.
Apples, Pears, Plums, Cherries should be grafted now. Attend to grafts frequently and keep moist.
Strawberries: Cultivate, keep hoe going.
—T. Preece.

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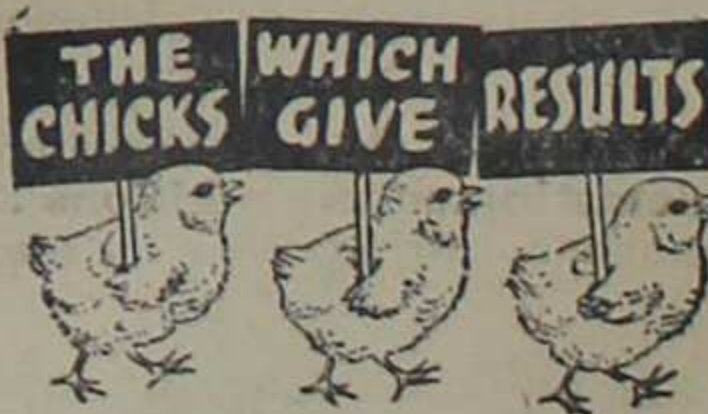
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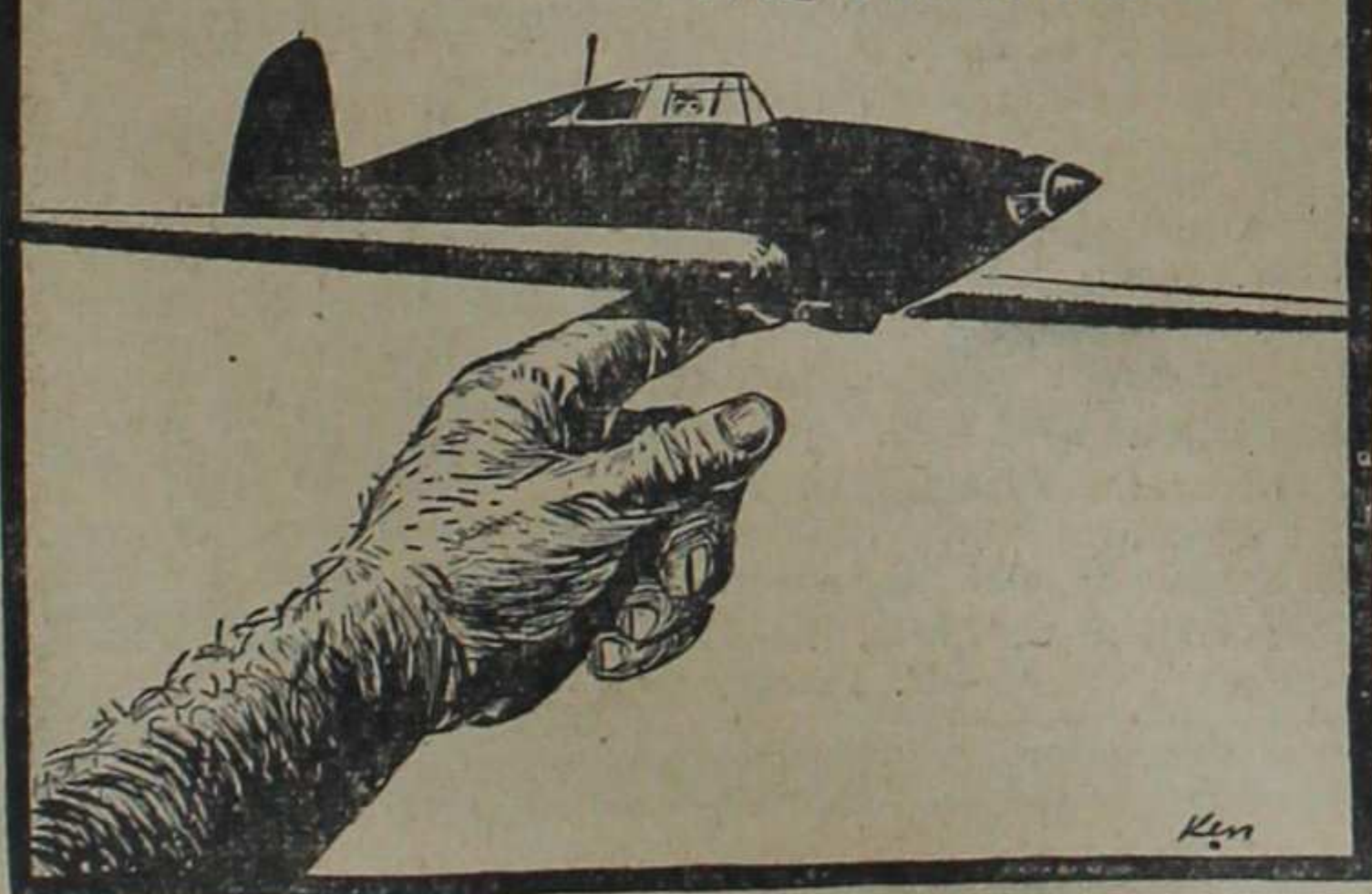
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The monthly meeting of the
Red Cross unit was held on Wed-
nesday at the home of Mrs. O.
Orwick, with the president in
the chair. Final arrangements
were made for the military whist
drive to be held in the com-
munity hall April 28 in aid of
Russian relief. It was decided
to make a start on a couple of
quilts for Bundles for Britain,
and each member agreed to make
two or more complete squares
for the next meeting. The meet-
ing was followed by the home
nursing class. At the close re-
freshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Huddleston and
family, Mrs. Huddleston Sr. of
Mission and Mrs. A. Brown of
Clayburn, were weekend guests
at the A. Lundberg home.
Eric McKenzie and David Coon
of Vancouver spent the Easter
holiday at the Arthur Gledhill
home.

Jubilee

Wilbur Rousseau of Vancouver
is visiting with his grandparents,
Mr. and Mrs. J. Pelon.

Stanley Stewart has returned
to logging camp at Port Alberni
after spending a few days at his
home.

Mr. O. Carlson and Miss Wolf
of Vancouver spent Thursday
with Mr. and Mrs. Susani.

Miss J. Rhodes left Thursday
evening to spend her Easter vaca-
tion at Salmon Arm.

Miss McCormick and Mr. W.
McCormick spent Sunday in Van-
couver.

The Jubilee school children
and their teacher, Miss Rhodes,
enjoyed a very nice afternoon,
when they were invited to a pic-
ture show which was held in
the Bradner School on Thursday.
Mrs. Fulton visited with friends
over the weekend.

Mt. Lehman

The work sent to Red Cross
Headquarters at Abbotsford for
April was: 6 housedresses, 2 sea-
man's sweaters, 6 laundry bags,
1 W.S. pullover, 5 men's sweat-
ers, 20 pair men's socks, 5 pair
W.S. ankle socks, 12 handker-
chiefs.

Mr. M. Nicholson of Edmonton
spent a week with Mr. and Mrs.
D. Nicholson.

Mrs. G. Bloomfield is spend-
ing the Easter vacation with Mr.
and Mrs. D. Nicholson.

Mr. Denny Moran left Thurs-
day for the Yukon where he has
attained work on the boats be-
tween Whitehorse and Dawson.

Miss Eileen Nicholson is spend-
ing the Easter vacation at Kam-
loops.

Miss Velma Levang spent a
week in Vancouver with Miss
Beth Fulton.

Mrs. A. Levang attended the
wedding of her son AC2 Chester
Levang in Vancouver.

The three little daughters of
Mr. and Mrs. Les Marsh of New
Westminster are spending a few
days with Mrs. M. MacAskill.

Mrs. Bert Donaldson and baby
daughter visited Mrs. M. Mac-
Askill during the week.

Bradner

Pte. and Mrs. A. Perry and
children and Mrs. Perry Sr. of
Chilliwack, were recent guests at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. A.
Michael.

Mrs. C. Mynor has returned to
her home in Mission after spend-
ing a few days with her brother
and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs.
J. Carmichael.

Little Mary Langton of Sumas
is spending the Easter holidays
with her grandparents.

Mrs. M. H. Smith has return-
ed home after spending a few
days in Vancouver visiting her
daughter, Mrs. Watts. She was
accompanied by her grandchild-
ren.

Miss Edith Donaldson of Van-
couver is spending her vacation
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
A. Donaldson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ryder of
Mt. Lehman were guests of Mr.
and Mrs. Burmeister Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gelding and fam-
ily and Mr. Gelding Sr. of Vic-
toria were recent guests at the
Brough home.

Mrs. J. Glazebrook and Barry
are visitors at the home of her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Donald-
son.

MATSQUI

Mrs. F. Grant (nee Edith Gus-
tafson) is visiting her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gustafson.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid will
hold its monthly meeting Wed-
nesday, May 5, in the church
parlors with Mrs. J. Kemprud
and Mrs. O. Kemprud as host-
esses.

Douglas Kerr and Albert Gus-
tafson cycled to Vancouver on
Tuesday.

Poplar

Misses Luella Cornelson and
Hulda Klassen left last week for
employment in Vancouver.

Miss M. Major, recently in
charge of the Mission on Clear-
brook road, has taken up her
new duties on Vancouver Island.

Miss Mary Butcher was home
with her parents at Easter.

At the United church Easter
services were in the hands of
Rev. G. R. Tench. A group quar-
tette was rendered by Mr. and
Mrs. G. J. Busby and Mr. and
Mrs. I. E. Busby; also a solo by
Mrs. Busby, Sr., "The Palms."
It was mentioned too that the
social evening and sale of work
arranged for Friday of this week
had been changed to Wednesday.

Miss Marjorie Todd of New
Westminster spent the weekend
at her home.

Owing to arrangements for the
Penny Carnival in aid of the Red
Cross involving all the units in
the Poplar district together with
the Women's Institute, the W.I.
has arranged for its regular
meeting to be held on Tuesday,
May 11 instead of Thursday as
previously arranged. The meet-
ing will take place at the home
of Mrs. A. C. Matthews on the
old Yale road at 2 p.m.

Mrs. J. Aitken has been ap-
pointed as the North Poplar dele-
gate on the M-S-A War Produc-
tion Committee.

Mrs. O. H. Heywood is under-
taking the position of delegate
to the Social Centre Committee
for entertainment of military
forces in Abbotsford.

Wanda Smith is spending a few
days at Ladner with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall of Ladner
are staying with Mr. and Mrs.
T. D. Smith for a few days.

Miss Dorothy Smith spent the
weekend at her parents' home.

Pine Grove

Hans Hanson of Coquitlam vis-
ited at the home of Hans L. Lar-
son on Sunday before returning
to Saskatchewan.

Mrs. G. Ellwood returned to
her home in Vancouver Sunday.

Mrs. G. Fellman, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Hans Larson left
Monday for her home at Prince
Rupert.

Visitors at the home of Mrs.
A. Johnson over the holidays
were her sister and brother-in-
law, Mr. and Mrs. H. Carlson
and daughters of Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Larson at-
tended "open house" at the Van-
couver Normal school last week.

Miss F. Kinley has left for
Steveston.

Visiting here from Saskatche-
wan are Mr. and Mrs. Vinson
and children, Mrs. Vinson being
a sister of Mrs. H. Boyd.

Huntingdon

Several tables of whist were
played at the Huntingdon school
on Thursday in aid of the ARP.
Prize winners were Mrs. How-
den Carson and Allan Crouter,
and consolations went to Mrs. J.
Brown and Mr. Hoffman.

The Easter tea held at the
home of Mrs. H. Yarwood for St.
Paul's church was well attended
and netted about \$16.

Miss Myrtle Waterston is spend-
ing a few days with Mrs. Sam
Mason at Sardis.

Miss Helen Yarwood of Seattle
spent the weekend with her

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Orange Hall Abbotsford

FRIDAY, MAY 7: 9:30-2

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Old Dutch Cleanser 10c
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Ampollina Blue 10c
Ch. of Lime 12c
Paper Napkins 15c
My Lady Helen Soap 5c
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Noodle Soup 2 pkt. 25c
Enos Fruit Salts .. 98c
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The Baptist Ladies' Aid met
on Wednesday in the church and
gave the collection of \$14.05 to
the Red Cross.

Church services and a Christ-
ening ceremony will be held in
the Lutheran church on Sunday
at 2:30 p.m.

Mrs. J. Kemprud is visiting in
Vancouver this week.

The Red Cross tea held in the
church parlors on Thursday, at
which the admission was a gar-
ment for refugees, was a huge
success.

Jim Croll of Vancouver cycled
to the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Alec Beaton on Saturday and
Lorne Atkinson of Vancouver
cycled to the Kerr home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson and
daughters, Rosamund and Syl-
via, and Mrs. Allen were Sun-
day visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H.
Hurum.

Miss Charlotte Crouter is vis-
iting Miss Gloria Morey at Lulu
Island.

Mrs. Adank has her grand-
daughters, Joyce and Jacqueline
Adank of Vancouver visiting her.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis of
Ladner spent Sunday with AC2
and Mrs. Bill Beeststone.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Crouter and
family spent Easter Sunday at
the Allan Crouter home.

Mrs. Sam Mason and Mrs. Reid
of Sardis spent Easter with Mr.
and Mrs. H. Stady.

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John Lawrence Irvine
John, who is a "brother" of
The Teddy Bear, your
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sor, was born 20 years ago
(April 14), one of the first
babies born in the M-S-A
General Hospital. He was
schooled at Abbotsford ele-
mentary and Philip Shef-
field high school, graduat-
ing in June, 1941. Follow-
ing that he worked a plea-
sant year behind the coun-
ter at The Teddy Bear. From
there he enlisted in the
Royal Canadian Navy Vol-
unteer Reserve on January
19, 1942. He trained at
Vancouver and later on
Vancouver Island. He has
been on sea duty since
June last year. This week's
hero was always keen in
sports activity and took a
leading part. He held sev-
eral badminton titles, and
was a first rank player in
basketball. A sister, Betty,
is employed at Abbotsford
Bakery; Margaret (Mrs. H.
Lightfoot) lives in Vancou-
ver, and brother Tommy is
operator of The Teddy Bear.
John's mother, Mrs. T. Ir-
vine, Sr., lives at Abbots-
ford.

Another—
Thumbnail Biography
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The Teddy Bear
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MATSQUI HALL

Friday, April 30

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double. Used to cultivating. \$75.
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per thousand. John Molner, RR
1, Mt. Lehman. 78

FUEL—Four-foot slabs and saw-
dust. Paul Bros, phone Mis-
sion 125. 111

FOR SALE OR TRADE—'29
Whippet coach, ideal working
man's car. Good tires. Good
running order. \$60. See L. Mer-
ritt, care Gosling Furniture
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FOR SALE—8-foot Massey-Har-
ris disc with trucks. Price \$36.
Geo. C. Bobb, at J. Pope place,
Dennison. 63

FOR SALE—New CCM bicycle,
Beatty washer post iron; Mc-
Cormick-Deering mower, pea
harvester, post drill, wagon. D.
Thiessen, 1419 McCallum rd.,
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Cannon for their kindness during
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ply to Box 52, The News. 99

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ABBOTSFORD SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Gerald McAllister and Gordon
Calvert are spending this week
on a Coastal boat.

Miss Vera Hunt is attending
the Teachers' Federation conven-
tion in Vancouver this week and
while in the city is the guest of
her sister and brother-in-law,
Mr. and Mrs. S. Bergmann.

Master George Lydiard and
Master Teddy Moul of Vancou-
ver are at the home of Mrs. Wm.
Walker for Easter holidays.

Lindsay Leslie, who has been
seriously ill with the 'flu is now
improved.

Cpl. Charles Allan, RCAF and
Mrs. Allan (nee Edith Chittenden)
spent Easter Sunday with
the latter's parents, Capt. and
Mrs. H. L. Chittenden.

Miss Frances Benedict of Van-
couver spent the weekend with
her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wolstenholme,
Miss Ethel Armstrong and Miss
Eva Armstrong have been visit-
ing their parents, Mr. and Mrs.
I. N. Armstrong.

Mrs. R. Bradshaw was in New
Westminster for the Easter week-
end.

Miss Joyce Marshall of Hope
is spending the Easter vacation
with Miss Donna Weir.

Miss Muriel Wakefield visited
in Vancouver for a few days last
week.

Mr. Dalgleish of Vancouver
spent the weekend with his
daughter, Mrs. W. Waterson Jr.

Mrs. Herb. Jones visited rela-
tives in Seattle during the holi-
day weekend.

Miss Lilas Lind is in Vancou-
ver for the holiday week.

Miss Mildred Chittenden is
spending the Easter vacation with
her parents.

Miss Doris Hyde, who is train-
ing at St. Paul's hospital in Van-
couver, spent a week with her
parents.

Mrs. Donna Clement and Jo-
Ann spent Sunday in Vancouver.

Miss Betty Irvine spent the
weekend visiting in Vancouver.
J. W. Kennedy of Vancouver
visited his sister and mother at
the Easter weekend.

Miss Alice Anderson, nurse-in-
training at Essondale, visited her
parents on Good Friday.

Mrs. Harvey Hogarth and Pat
of Vancouver visited Pat's great
grandfather, J. P. Leslie at Pear-
donville at Easter weekend.

Mrs. A. Jones of Calgary ar-
rived on Wednesday to spend the
summer months with friends at
Peardonville.

Miss Kathleen Cameron of
Vancouver visited friends in Ab-
botsford on Sunday.

Miss Jean Macbeth is spending
the Easter vacation with rela-
tives in Vancouver.

MRS. FANNIE LITTLE

Funeral services were held this
afternoon for the late Mrs. Fann-
ie Little, wife of William Little,
McCallum road, whose death oc-
curred on Sunday night after a
brief illness. The services were
held at 2 p.m. from the Hender-
son Funeral Home. Rev. G. R.
Tench officiating, interment took
place in Hazelwood cemetery.

A resident of Abbotsford for
27 years, Mrs. Little was born in
Stroude, Ontario, 68 years ago.
She married Mr. Little there and
their three children were born
there, the family coming here in
1916 from Everett, Wn. Surviving
are her husband and one
daughter, Mrs. Francis Fossett of
Abbotsford, and two sons, Ed-
ward at home and Howard who
is serving in the Canadian For-
estry Corps.

ROBITAILLE—To Mr. and
Mrs. Glen Robitaille, RCAF (nee
Hazel White) at Clinton, Ont.,
on April 22, a son, v

Births at M-S-A Hospital

GOUGH—To Mr. and Mrs. C.
W. Gough on April 21, a daugh-
ter.

CORNBROUGH—To Mr. and
Mrs. Jack Cornbrough (nee Bar-
bara Summer) on April 22, a
daughter, Barbara Jill.

BORG—To Mr. and Mrs. Ben
Borg of Matsqui on April 27, a
daughter.

VICTORY LOAN

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not previously invested in any
of the three previous loans and
they are also meeting a most
gratifying response to their ap-
peal to investors to increase pre-
vious commitments. Not only are
new investors responding and old
ones investing larger amounts
but in many instances families
are also purchasing additional
bonds on the time payment plan.
Farmers are also finding the
special form permitting deferred
payment on Bonds as meeting
their requirements better than
any previous method devised to
permit them to help.

ABERDEEN REALTY

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Klemmen farm on the Ross road
south. Mr. Klemmen has purchas-
ed acreage on the highway near
Ross road where he plans to build
in the near future. In the mean-
time, Mr. and Mrs. O. Klemmen
and family will reside with the
latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Hans Larsen, Ross road south.
Mrs. George Twiss (Twisters
Gas Station) has sold out to Mr.
and Mrs. Hirschner of Edmon-
ton. The new owners are expect-
ed to take over next month.

SUMAS CLUB MEETS HERE

Members of Sumas, Wn., Lions
Club held their regular dinner
meeting in the Hotel Atangard
in Abbotsford on Thursday even-
ing. Dr. E. S. Sarvis presided
and Inspector A. S. Towell of
Abbotsford was the guest speak-
er taking as his topic, "Britain's
Viewpoint."

FARM LABOR

(Continued from Front Page)

cal committee be able to make
an estimate at an early date of
the total help needed in this
Area. It can only do this if all
those needing or likely to need
help during the year, fill out a
questionnaire and send it in at
once. Little can be done for the
farmers until the farmers do
this much for themselves.

Tentative Wage Scale
The M-S-A Committee met on
Thursday night in Abbotsford to
consider a scale of wages for
various types of farm labor. A
tentative scale was drawn up for
submission to a proposed Fraser
Valley conference on this sub-
ject. Coun. L. T. Beharrell of
Matsqui and Reeve Alex Hogen
of Sumas were named as M-S-A
delegates to the conference.

Pacific Coast

Militia Rangers
88th M-S-A Company

On Sunday a successful tacti-
cal scheme was held by two de-
tachments of the Company cen-
tered around Kilgard.

No. 4 Detachment (Kilgard) de-
fending the Clayburn Co. office
against the attack of the "enemy
paratroops" (No. 3 Detachment,
Sumas). Col. A. Leslie Coote ex-
pressed his approval of the in-
genious method of the defence
and the guerilla tactics of at-
tack. In the opinion of Lt. Bon-
PCMR Coy 88 will parade on
Sunday. Fall in at 14:00 hours
at H.Q. to proceed to auditorium
for rededication service.



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**Men Born From 1902 to 1924 Must Prove
Compliance With Mobilization Regulations
When Asking Permits to Seek Employment**

BY Order pursuant to National Selective Service
Civilian Regulations, a change is now made
in the issue of permits to seek employment.

After April 30, 1943, permits may be refused to any man born
from 1902 to 1924, inclusive, who has reached 19, unless he
presents satisfactory evidence of compliance with Mobilization
Regulations, in one of the following forms:

(a) A certificate of discharge from His Majesty's Forces
during this war; or (b) a rejection slip issued by the
Army on application for enlistment; or (c) a certificate
of medical examination from the Registrar of a Mobiliza-
tion Board; or (d) a postponement order certificate
from the Registrar of a Mobilization Board; or (e) if
born from 1902 to 1916 inclusive, a statutory declaration
on form available in employment office, that he is not
a "single person" under Mobilization Regulations.

Documents in (a), (b) and (e) above need be presented only
the first time a permit is sought after April 30, 1943, unless
asked for by a Selective Service Officer. Documents in (c) and
(d) above must be presented each time a permit is applied for.

(1) Male persons applying for permits by mail should
forward with their applications the evidence re-
quired, except (e) above.
(2) A Selective Service Officer MAY furnish a permit
without first being handed evidence, where the
applicant's services are required for immediate em-
ployment, or where a permit is asked for by mail,
but in these cases the evidence must be presented to
the Selective Service Officer later, usually WITHIN
THREE DAYS of the issue of the permit.

All men born from 1902 to 1924, who have
reached age 19, are urged to co-operate with your
Employment and Selective Service Office. Bring
your documents with you.

Department of Labour

HUMPHREY MITCHELL,
Minister of Labour

A. MACNAMARA,
Director, National Selective Service

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10:50 p.m.	12:45 a.m.

Leave Vancouver

Ar. Abb.	Leave Vancouver
10:10 a.m.	8:15 a.m.
12:55 p.m.	11:00 a.m.
8:40 p.m.	6:45 p.m.
10:35 p.m.	8:45 p.m.

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**Narcissi Show at Bradner Delights
Flower Lovers; Hundreds of Exhibits**

Reeve James Simpson of Matsqui pronounced the quality of exhibits at the annual flower show of the Bradner Bulb Growers Association, held in Bradner Community Hall on Wednesday afternoon, as of the "very highest quality." This was also the opinion of R. Battensby, veteran horticulturist of the Vancouver Parks Board, who judged the show. While not as large an event as the three-day show held in Abbotsford a year ago, the display of daffodils and other blooms was a delight to flower lovers able to attend under wartime conditions.

It was estimated there were over 200 varieties shown in the competitive and non-competitive exhibits. The competition was between men who raise narcissi as other farmers raise potatoes—by the acre, with more of their bulbs sold in Montreal than in Vancouver, and vastly more demand than there is supply.

The highest aggregate was won by F. L. Baker with R. R. Donaldson second. Other winners of a considerable number of first prizes were A. Brown, M. McMath, H. Roche, Mrs. C. Gardner, Mrs. H. Paver and Mrs. H. Warring.

Above the display and at its centre was a mass of blooms which proved to be a rat-tail cactus, dropping some two feet below its pot. Each of the blooms were two and three-quarter inches long. The hall was further decorated with geraniums and japonica, supplying those shadings of red which contrasted with the shadings of yellows and whites of the narcissi.

Between the geraniums on the platform was a fine specimen of amaryllis lily, pure white with stipplings of red.

Children of less than 10 years had an exceptional showing of wild flowers with moss and foliage, with G. Hanson winning first and Bud Sloggart second, Shirley Sloggart third.

Beside the King Alfred, for which more orders are received than for the other 399 varieties grown at Bradner, principal varieties were Empress, Empress, Golden Spur, Sir Watkins, Van Waverin's Giant, Robert Sydenham, Olymphia, Weardeale Perfection, Sulphur Phoenix, White

**M-S-A RESPONSE
TO RED CROSS
APPEAL \$4315**

Total of contributions made by M-S-A citizens in the recent national appeal of the Canadian Red Cross Society was \$4315, Rev. A. J. Lough-ton, chairman of the campaign in this Area, reports. This compares with \$3000 contributed to the 1942 appeal and is almost double the Area's quota this year of \$2250. There were 1824 individual contributions making up the total of \$4315 and of these 1724 exceeded \$1.

Ajax, Bath's Flame, Kantara, Gallipoli and Clontarf, Firetail, and Dawson City.

Most of the exhibits were triumphs, with Poeticus, Incomparables and Barris well represented. Three new varieties, Zero, Rouge and Sunkist, were given a first showing.

**WINTER AND SUMMER
"CAPTURE" PARCELS.**

As soon as a Canadian prisoner is located in a prison camp he is sent immediately, a capture parcel from the Canadian Red Cross in London, to tide him over until the first next-of-kin parcel arrives from Canada. If it is winter, the parcel contains warm underclothing and a sweater with sleeves—if summer there is a shirt instead of such articles as a scarf, helmet, gloves and a sleeveless sweater. The contents of the winter parcel are: sweater, scarf, helmet cap, gloves, suit underwear, pair of pajamas, bath towel, blanket, hussif, (small sewing kit) chocolate and two pairs socks and one personal property bag containing a wash cloth, razor set, tooth powder and brush hand towel, shaving brush and comb, 2 cakes of soap, 3 handkerchiefs and 12 packets chewing gum.

MYSTERY SALE
The members of Lake Buntzen Red Cross committee pass along the money - making idea of a "mystery sale"—which together with a refreshment booth made \$50.65. The "mystery" articles sold for 29 cents each and included such necessities as soap, soap flakes, polishing cloths. Other articles for sale were a rooster, four dozen eggs and home-made pies.

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The last payment on 1st October 1943, covers the final payment of principal, plus .64 of 1% in the case of the 3% bonds and .37 of 1% in the case of the 1 3/4% bonds representing accrued interest to the due dates of the respective instalments.

The Minister of Finance reserves the right to accept or to allot the whole or any part of the amount of this loan subscribed for either or both maturities if total subscriptions are in excess of \$1,100,000,000.

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The lists will open on 26th April 1943, and will close on or about 15th May 1943, with or without notice, at the discretion of the Minister of Finance.

Department of Finance,
Ottawa, 26th April 1943.

Speaking of Quotas....

**WE NEED \$183,500
FROM THIS AREA
IN THE 4th VICTORY LOAN**

BUT... there have been other quotas set as a result of this war. We all know that our Armed Forces (the men and women who are really in the fight) must be fed the best and most nutritive food that is obtainable. We all know this fact and are glad, as it becomes necessary, to do without little niceties for ourselves, if they are to have the benefit of more and better food.

AND... we all know that bread is the greatest of energy-giving foods...so our fighters are to have lots of the best of this fine food.

THAT... brings us to our point—our quotas!

WE... the Bakers of Abbotsford, along with all other baking firms in Canada, are on rationed quotas of baking materials that we are allowed in baking for you. These quotas must be maintained as they are based on volume of business. Thus, if our volume drops this period, our ration in the following period is lessened. And that, Mr. and Mrs. Bread Eater, would mean less bread—and pastries—for you from the Bakers of Abbotsford.

YOU... might say that even if our volume drops you will be able to get lots of bread from city bakers who come into our district and take the M-S-A Area's hard-earned money with them to the benefit of the city and the harm of our community, but—

DID... you ever stop to realize that the bread—and pastries—baked right here in Abbotsford are at least as good as or better than the product of the city baker? And, that when you buy bread from the Bakers of Abbotsford, along with getting quality, you help maintain the quotas that will keep you well supplied with THE BEST IN BREAD...and help put the "bread and butter" on the tables of those men and women of our staffs who are members of our community and your personal friends?

WHEN... you go to your grocer or phone in your order, tell him you want the Best by Taste—bread made by the Bakers of Abbotsford.

ANOTHER... way town residents can help is to shop only in daylight hours Saturdays

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In order to meet Wartime Conditions and Restrictions

In common with merchants in many other communities, the business men of Abbotsford find it necessary to reduce the number of hours during which their stores will be open to the public.

After careful consideration, it has been decided that to

CLOSE ALL DAY WEDNESDAY EACH WEEK

will cause the least inconvenience to the public. Stores have long been required to close on Wednesday afternoons, the legal half-holiday, for clerks, consequently it is not the accustomed shopping day of many people.

Three principal factors necessitating a reduction in the number of store hours are: great amount of new work imposed on storekeepers as a result of rationing an increasing number of items; the shortage of experienced help in all departments; and the problems resulting from shortage of many lines of merchandise.

Already stores are closed a full day in many other towns in Canada. Some have chosen Mondays, some Wednesdays and some Saturdays. But as stated above, it is felt that the least inconvenience will result to the public in the M-S-A Area trading in Abbotsford if the stores here close all day Wednesdays.

This wartime policy will commence with the first Wednesday in May and continue until further notice. It is endorsed by the following houses:

Andrew's Grocery
M. C. Walker & Co.
Modern Markets Ltd.
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Modern Markets Ltd.

Roberts' Meat Market
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Abbotsford 5c to \$1 Store
Abbotsford Tailors
Beryl's Fashion Centre

Daly's Brygoods
Stordy's Drygoods
Black's Drug Store
Weir's Pharmacy
Marigold Beauty Shoppe
Silhouette Beauty Shop

A PAGE FOR WOMEN

Spring Nuptial Events

ATKINS—BERRY

A pretty wedding was solemnized on Tuesday evening, April 20, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Berry, when their elder daughter, Rosa Edith, became the bride of Mr. Percy S. Atkins. Rev. G. R. Tench officiated.

Under a beautiful arch of spring blossoms, the bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a charming ensemble of poudre blue with navy accessories, with a corsage of pink roses and lily of the valley. Her only ornament was a beautiful pendant of pearls, a family heirloom.

Mrs. W. C. Bell, matron of honor, sister of the bride, chose a gown of queen's blue with matching accessories and a corsage of pink sweet peas.

H. G. Berry, brother of the bride, supported the groom.

Following the ceremony, Mrs. J. Berry assisted her daughter in receiving the guests. She wore a black silk crepe gown with a corsage of pink rosebuds.

More than 80 guests attended the reception. Out-of-town guests were: from Vancouver, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunt, W. Bowley, Mr. and Mrs. W. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Latmore, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. B. Latmore, Mr. and Mrs. F. Sergeant, and Misses E. and L. Smith; from Dewdney, Mr. and Mrs. James Harkies, Mr. and Mrs. Harkies, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. G. Garbet.

Toast to the bride was proposed by Rev. Tench; to the bride and groom by Rev. C. W. Bryce. Mr. Atkins made a suitable reply. Serviteurs included Mrs. J. Lawrence, Mrs. J. Bolton, Mrs. R. Shore, Mrs. Ray Green and Miss Edna Berry.

For their wedding trip to Vancouver Island, the bride donned a fitted blue coat.

The occasion was also the 48th anniversary of the wedding of the bride's parents. This was commemorated by the presentation of a purse from the members of the family. Mr. W. Berry in a few well-chosen remarks, presented the gift.

COUTTS—HAYDON

The marriage was solemnized on Wednesday in Chown Memorial church in Vancouver when Rose Marion, daughter of Mrs. W. Haydon and the late Mr. Haydon became the bride of Mr. William David Coutts, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Coutts of Abbotsford. Rev. T. S. Paton officiated.

The bride looked charming in a one-piece dress of heavenly blue and white-biege accessories. With it she wore a small feather hat in matching tones and a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Mrs. W. J. Bogle was matron of honor and she wore turquoise blue with navy accessories and a corsage of gardenias. Mr. Bogle was the best man.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bogle. Mr. and Mrs. Coutts left for White Horse where they will reside, the bride wearing a novelty tweed coat over a mustard yellow dress with matching felt hat.

ROBBINS—ARNOLD

A quiet wedding took place at the parsonage of the Church of the Nazarene on Saturday evening when Rev. A. J. Loughton united in marriage Mrs. Helen Arnold and Gordon Robbins, both of Abbotsford. The couple was attended by Pte. and Mrs. John L. Duerksen.

FRIENDS HONOR FORMER JUBILEE GIRL AT SHOWER

Miss Beth Fulton of Vancouver, formerly of Jubilee, was entertained at the Jubilee community hall on Saturday when a miscellaneous shower was held in her honor. The bride-to-be was seated under a canopy of blue and white streamers when Miss Edith Boyle presented her with many lovely gifts. Mrs. J. Gibson poured tea and Miss Boyle and Miss Audrey Gibson assisted with the serving.

SHOWER HONORS MRS. P. ATKINS

Mrs. Percy Atkins (nee Rosa Berry) whose marriage took place last week, was honored recently at the home of Mrs. H. S. Andrews when members of Trinity United church Ladies' Aid entertained at a miscellaneous shower. The many lovely gifts were presented to the bride by Ralston McCallum who brought them into the room in a wheelbarrow gaily decorated with yellow and white. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

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PHILLIPS - SIM

The marriage was solemnized in Vancouver on Saturday, April 17, of Evelyn, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sim of Grenfell, Sask., and Gordon Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Phillips, formerly of Abbotsford.

Given in marriage by her brother, the bride chose for her wedding costume, a two-piece beige ensemble with navy accessories, accented by a corsage of Talisman roses.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Paulene Sim, and the groom's brother, Mr. Albert Phillips, was best man.

After their wedding trip, the couple will reside at 2949 Hemlock street, Vancouver.

MORAN—CIMULINE

A quiet wedding took place in Trinity United church at 8 p.m. Saturday when Emilie Cimuline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cimuline of Vancouver was united in marriage to Sgt. James P. Moran, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Moran of Mt. Lehman. Rev. G. R. Tench performed the ceremony and Mrs. Tench played the nuptial music.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was gowned in blue with matching hat and accessories. Her sister, Margaret, was bridesmaid and she chose an ensemble to match the bride's in color.

The groom's brother, P. Moran, was best man.

When the bride and groom left for a wedding trip, Mrs. Moran topped her wedding dress with a grey coat.

LEVANG—FULTON

Saturday evening the marriage took place in Vancouver of Elizabeth Stirling (Beth), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Fulton of Vancouver, formerly of Jubilee, to LAC Chester Alexander Levang, son of Mrs. A. Levang of Mt. Lehman and the late E. Levang. Rev. J. P. Westman officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a blue wool tailored suit with navy and rose accessories and corsage of pink roses and lily of the valley. She was attended by her sister, Miss Mary L. Fulton, wearing a rose crepe frock, and Miss Velma Levang, sister of the groom, whose crepe ensemble was biege-toned. LAC. Kenneth Levang was his brother's best man.

After a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edner Ramsey, 5630 Columbia street, Vancouver, the bride and groom left for Hagersville, Ont., where they will reside.

Vernon's centenarian, Mrs. J. Tarry, 101 years old, knitted six face cloths for the Red Cross, these being included in a recent shipment to the Provincial warehouse.



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- 2 You can donate your fat dripping, scrap fat and bones to your local Voluntary Salvage Committee if they collect them in your community, or—
- 3 You can continue to place out your Fats and Bones for collection by your Street Cleaning Department where such a system is in effect.

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With the Forces

LAC Ken Levang and Mrs. Levang of Claresholm, Alta., arrived Thursday to spend a week with Mrs. A. Levang and Mrs. L. B. Farber and to attend the wedding of AC2 Chester Levang and Miss Beth Fulton at Vancouver.

James Moran of the Dental Corps is spending his leave at the home of his mother, Mrs. A. Moran.

Mr. Cunningham of the Veteran Guard has returned to his post at Medicine Hat, Alta., after spending a few days at his home at Mt. Lehman.

Pte. Emily Webb, CWAC has received a discharge and spent a few days in Abbotsford this week.

Gnr. Dick Young of Clayburn, stationed at a west coast defence post, was at home this weekend.

Pte. Bert Mathers spent the Easter weekend at home in Abbotsford.

Abbotsford Bakery has an outstanding record in releasing men for service. From the staff have gone Harry (Duke) Thomas, Jim Blacklock, Bill Scott, Al Jamieson and Bruce Woolcott. Daly's Stores in Abbotsford has a high record also: Ralph Fountain, Ray Green, Lorna Daly, Lorne Carmichael and Jack Lamont.

L/Cpl. J. Mutter is enjoying a short leave at his Poplar home.

AC2 Bill Beetlestone spent the Easter weekend with his wife and parents at Huntingdon.

Stoker Vic Sayce has arrived in England, according to word received by his sister, Mrs. Ken Lamars.

Stoker W. S. Meyers, RCNVR, and Mrs. Meyers are spending two weeks holiday with their parents at Kilgard and Chilliwack.

Cpl. Vera Baker, CWAC, has been honorably discharged owing to ill health and is now visiting her parents at Bradner.

REECE, PARADE

Tactical manoeuvres were held Monday night on Jubilee park by the Reserve Recce. Squadron. The outside work was taken following regular parade in the H.Q. building when Lewis gun handling was studied.

The squadron will fall in on Sunday at 14:00 hours (2 p.m.) at headquarters and will proceed to the Philip Sheffield auditorium for participation in the Victory Loan rededication service.

Non-Coms

Classes for N.C.O. training begin Thursday evening at Recce. headquarters. Two-hour periods beginning at 19:30 hours each week will see the majority of the men through their N.C.O. classes.

BRACKEN

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called to accept the premiership of that province, a position he held for 20 years until recently called to accept leadership of the Progressive-Conservative Party of Canada. Mr. Howard Green referred to him as "a man of the soil, interested in farming and farmers' problems" and said this had been the subject of chief interest to Mr. Bracken at all stops in his tour of Canada.

In the informal meeting which preceded the reception, Mr. Bracken asked various citizens present for information on the farming conducted in this Area and was greatly interested in the early growth here, much ahead, he said, of the season eastward.

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BLUE, Mrs. Stewart's, Liquid 10-oz. btl. 23c
BABY FOODS, Libby's Nos. 1 to 10 3 tins 25c
MOTHER'S VEGETABLE SOUP 2 pkts. 21c

CHEESE MILD MATURED lb. 35c

KRAFT DINNER with cheese pkt. 19c
CLOTHES PINS (that Granny used) 4 doz. 25c
COCOA, Neilson's Jersey 1/2-lb. tin 19c
COFFEE BOOSTER (try it) lb. 25c
QUICK OATS, B & K 5-lb. bag 29c
ROLLED WHEAT, Buckeye 5-lb. bag 29c
WHEAT PEARLS, V.M. 4-lb. bag 25c
FETHERLITE CAKE FLOUR 1ge. pkt. 25c
TAPIOCA, DESSERT lb.-pkt. 39c
GELATINE, Cox's pkt. 19c
JAM Strawberry 12-oz. btl. 20c
Raspberry (limit 4) ..
MACARONI, Redicut 5-lb. bag 45c
MATCHES, Fire Chief 3 boxes 29c
SOYHEART SPREAD 16-oz. jar 44c
HAWES LEMON OIL 12-oz. btl. 25c
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